

S-Triggered Schmidt-type Rearrangement of Vinyl Azides to Access N-Aryl-(trifluoromethylsulfinyl)acetamides

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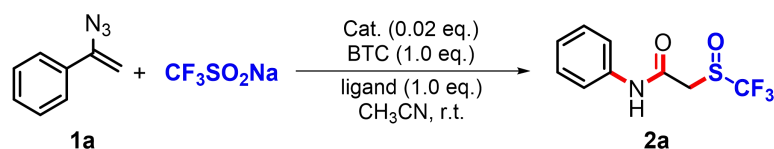
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I. General information

All reagents were purchased from commercial sources and used without treatment, unless otherwise indicated. The products were purified by column chromatography over silica gel. ¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR and ¹⁹F spectra were recorded at 298 K on a Varian 400 MHz, 100 MHz and 376 MHz, respectively, and TMS was used as internal standard. Mass spectra were recorded on Bruker Avance III HD 400M NMR Spectrometer. High resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were recorded on Bruker microTof by using ESI method.

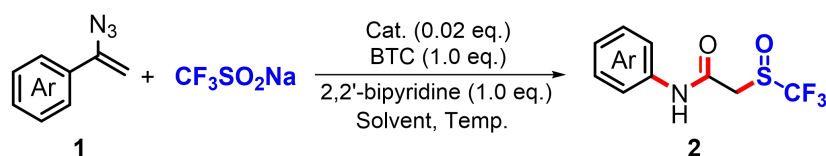
II. Optimization of ligands



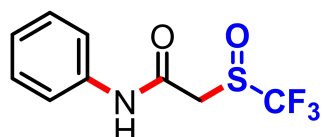
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5	$\text{Pd}(\text{PPh}_3)_4$	PMDETA	0
6	$\text{Pd}(\text{PPh}_3)_4$	DBU	0
7	$\text{Pd}(\text{PPh}_3)_4$	TMEDA	0
8	$\text{Pd}(\text{PPh}_3)_4$	pyridine	15
9	$\text{Pd}(\text{PPh}_3)_4$	DMAP	trace
10	$\text{Pd}(\text{PPh}_3)_4$	4,4'-bipyridine	20

^aConditions: **1a** (0.5 mmol), $\text{CF}_3\text{SO}_2\text{Na}$ (0.75 mmol), BTC (0.5 mmol), ligand (0.5 mmol), $\text{Pd}(\text{PPh}_3)_4$ (0.01 mmol), CH_3CN (2 mL) at r.t. under Ar for 3 h; Yields of isolated products. EDTA = ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid; PMDETA = N,N,N',N'',N''-pentamethyldiethylenetriamine; DMAP = 4-dimethylaminopyridine; DBU=1,8-diazabicyclo[5,4,0]undec-7-ene; TMEDA = N,N,N',N'-tetramethylethylenediamine.

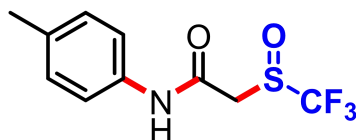
II. Synthesis and analytical data of compounds 2



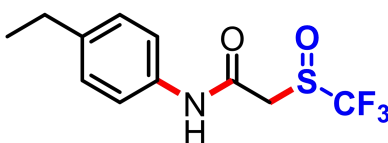
General procedure: Under argon atmosphere, sodium trifluoromethanesulfinate (117.0 mg, 0.75 mmol, 1.5 eq.), triphosgene (BTC) (148.4 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 eq.), 2,2'-bipyridine (78.1 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 eq.), Pd(PPh₃)₄ (11.6 mg, 0.01 mmol, 0.02 eq.) were added in an oven-dried 15 mL Schlenk tube with 1 mL CH₃CN, then vinyl azide 1 (78.0 μL, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 eq.) in 1 mL CH₃CN was added in the above mixed solution. The reaction mixture was then stirred for 3 h at room temperature when TLC conformed that substrate 1 had been consumed. The reaction was followed by adding 30 mL H₂O and taken up with dichloromethane (3×15 mL). The combined organic layer was washed with brine (3×40 mL), dried over MgSO₄ and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by a silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate) and the target product was afforded.



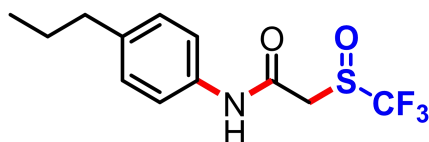
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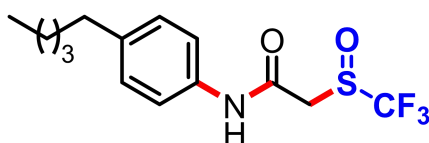
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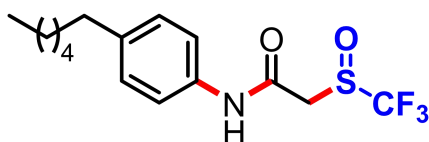
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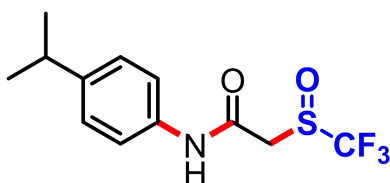
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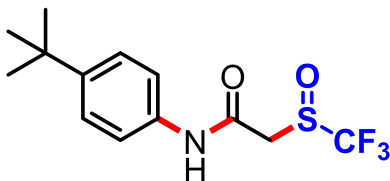
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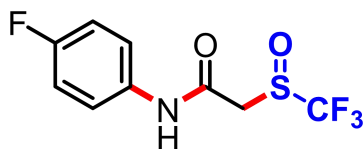
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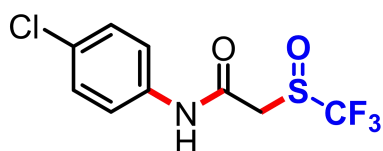
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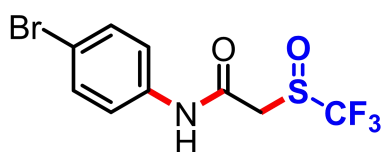
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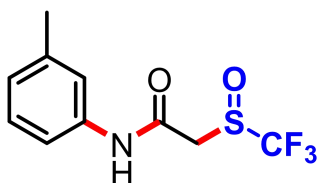
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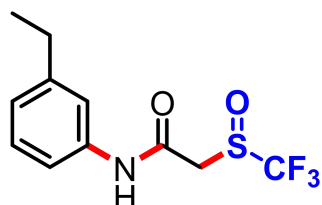
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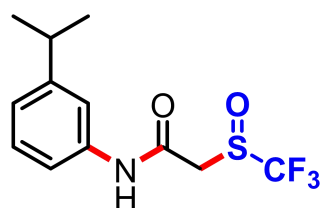
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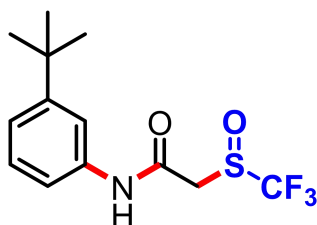
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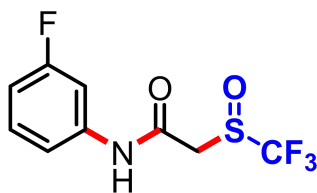
(2m) 0.5 mmol scale: Prepared following the general procedure showed above using 1-(1-azidovinyl)-3-ethylbenzene (86.5 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 eq.), sodium trifluoromethanesulfinate (117.0 mg, 0.75 mmol, 1.5 eq.), BTC (148.4 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 eq.), 2,2'-bipyridine (78.1 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 eq.), Pd(PPh₃)₄ (11.6 mg, 0.01 mmol, 0.02 eq.), The desired product was purified by a silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate=3:1) as white solid (115.9 mg, 83%); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.14 (s, 1H), 7.36-7.30 (m, 2H), 7.27-7.21 (m, 1H), 7.04-6.98 (m, 1H), 3.93 (s, 2H), 2.69-2.58 (m, 2H), 1.23 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 159.7, 145.6, 136.7, 129.1, 125.2 (q, *J* = 339.1 Hz), 125.1, 119.9, 117.8, 53.4, 28.8, 15.4; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -72.05; HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z* calculated for C₁₁H₁₂F₃NO₂SNa [M+Na]⁺: 302.0439, found: 302.0427.



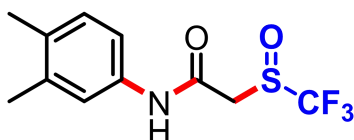
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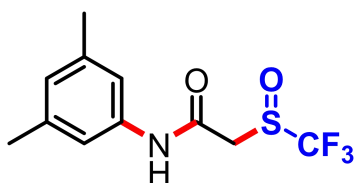
(2o) 0.5 mmol scale: Prepared following the general procedure showed above using 1-(1-azidovinyl)-3-(tert-butyl)benzene (100.5 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 eq.), sodium trifluoromethanesulfinate (117.0 mg, 0.75 mmol, 1.5 eq.), BTC (148.4 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 eq.), 2,2'-bipyridine (78.1 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 eq.), Pd(PPh₃)₄ (11.6 mg, 0.01 mmol, 0.02 eq.), The desired product was purified by a silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate=3:1) as white solid (122.9 mg, 80%); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.16 (s, 1H), 7.45-7.42 (m, 1H), 7.41-7.35 (m, 1H), 7.30-7.22 (m, 1H), 7.21-7.17 (m, 1H), 4.01-3.88 (m, 2H), 1.30 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 159.7, 152.5, 136.5, 128.8, 125.2 (q, *J* = 330.6 Hz), 122.6, 117.7, 117.5, 53.8, 34.8, 31.2; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -72.13; HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z* calculated for C₁₃H₁₆F₃NO₂SNa [M+Na]⁺: 330.0752, found: 330.0747.



(2p) 0.5 mmol scale: Prepared following the general procedure showed above using 1-(1-azidovinyl)-3-fluorobenzene (81.5 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 eq.), sodium trifluoromethanesulfinate (117.0 mg, 0.75 mmol, 1.5 eq.), BTC (148.4 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 eq.), 2,2'-bipyridine (78.1 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 eq.), Pd(PPh₃)₄ (11.6 mg, 0.01 mmol, 0.02 eq.), The desired product was purified by a silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate=3:1) as white solid (114.4 mg, 85%); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.57 (s, 1H), 7.45-7.35 (m, 1H), 7.26-7.17 (m, 1H), 7.12-7.05 (m, 1H), 6.88-6.79 (m, 1H), 4.08-3.90 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 162.8 (d, *J* = 241.9 Hz), 160.9, 139.3 (d, *J* = 11.4 Hz), 130.1 (d, *J* = 18.8 Hz), 125.1 (q, *J* = 339.7 Hz), 115.3, 111.4 (d, *J* = 19.5 Hz), 107.4 (d, *J* = 23.1 Hz), 56.2; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -71.79, -110.86; HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z* calculated for C₉H₇F₄NO₂SNa [M+Na]⁺: 292.0031, found: 292.0009.



(2q) 0.5 mmol scale: Prepared following the general procedure showed above using 4-(1-azidovinyl)-1,2-dimethylbenzene (86.5 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 eq.), sodium trifluoromethanesulfinate (117.0 mg, 0.75 mmol, 1.5 eq.), BTC (148.4 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 eq.), 2,2'-bipyridine (78.1 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 eq.), Pd(PPh₃)₄ (11.6 mg, 0.01 mmol, 0.02 eq.), The desired product was purified by a silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate=3:1) as white solid (113.1 mg, 81%); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.09 (s, 1H), 7.26-7.19 (m, 2H), 7.11-7.05 (m, 1H), 3.98-3.86 (m, 2H), 2.23 (d, *J* = 5.2 Hz, 6H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 159.6, 137.5, 134.4, 134.0, 130.1, 125.1 (q, *J* = 327.8 Hz), 121.7, 118.0, 53.6, 19.8, 19.2; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -72.13; HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z* calculated for C₁₁H₁₂F₃NO₂SNa [M+Na]⁺: 302.0439, found: 302.0426.



(2r) 0.5 mmol scale: Prepared following the general procedure showed above using 1-(1-azidovinyl)-3,5-dimethylbenzene (86.5 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 eq.), sodium trifluoromethanesulfinate (117.0 mg, 0.75 mmol, 1.5 eq.), BTC (148.4 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 eq.), 2,2'-bipyridine (78.1 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 eq.), Pd(PPh₃)₄ (11.6 mg, 0.01 mmol, 0.02 eq.), The desired product was purified by a silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate=3:1) as white solid (114.5 mg, 82%); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.02 (s, 1H), 7.13 (s, 2H), 6.81 (s, 1H), 3.91 (s, 2H), 2.30 (s, 6H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 165.5, 143.2, 142.4, 131.1, 127.0 (q, *J* = 363.7 Hz), 122.4, 61.1, 26.1, 23.2; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -72.00; HRMS (ESI-TOF) *m/z* calculated for C₁₁H₁₂F₃NO₂SNa [M+Na]⁺: 302.0439, found: 302.0423.

IV. Crystallography of compound 2b

Single-crystal X-ray diffraction data for the reported complex was recorded at a temperature of 293(2) K on a Oxford Diffraction Gemini R Ultra diffractometer, using a ω scan technique with Mo-K α radiation ($\lambda = 0.71073$ Å). The structure was solved by Direct Method of SHELXS-97 and refined by full-matrix least-squares techniques using the SHELXL-97 program.¹ Non-hydrogen atoms were refined with anisotropic temperature parameters, and hydrogen atoms of the ligands were refined as rigid groups. Basic information pertaining to crystal parameters and structure refinement is summarized in Table 1. 1 (a) G. M. Sheldrick, SHELXS-97, Program for Solution of Crystal Structures, University of Gottingen, Germany, 1997; (b) G. M. Sheldrick, SHELXL-97, Program for Refinement of Crystal Structures, University of Gottingen, Germany, 1997.

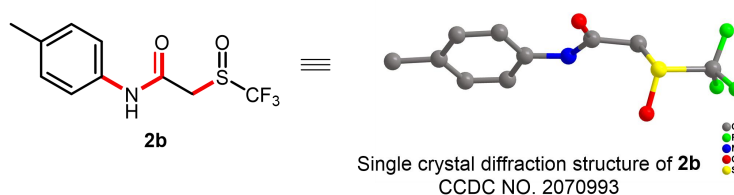


Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement.

Empirical formula	$C_{10}H_{10}F_3NO_2S$
Temperature	293(2) K
Wavelength	1.54178 Å
Unit cell dimensions	a = 13.1954(9) Å alpha = 90.00 ° b = 10.2798(9) Å beta = 96.658(7) ° c = 8.7100(8) Å gamma = 90.00 °
Volume	1173.51(17) Å ³
Z	4
Calculated density	1.501 mg/mm ³
Absorption coefficient	0.304 mm ⁻¹
F(000)	544.0
Crystal size	0.24 × 0.15 × 0.07 mm ³
Theta range for data collection	6.64 to 58.52°
Reflections collected /Independent reflections	7805 /2740 [R _{int} = 0.0276, R _{sigma} = 0.0329]
Data / restraints / parameters	2740 / 0 / 155
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.051
Final R indices [I > 2sigma(I)]	R ₁ = 0.0468, wR ₂ = 0.1177
Final R indices (all data)	R ₁ = 0.0647, wR ₂ = 0.1349

IV. NMR spectra copies

